

Announcements for Sunday, January 3, 2021

The Color of Compromise Study

Begins Tuesday, January 12, 12 pm - 1 pm, on Zoom

The Adult Sunday School class just finished a study of *The Color of Compromise: The Truth about the American Church's Complicity in Racism*, by Jemar Tisby. We were awakened to the complicity of Christianity in racial injustice throughout the history of the United States. Tisby's timely video presentation reveals these chilling connections and explores ways Christians have reinforced theories of racial superiority and inferiority. He outlines the kind of bold action needed to forge a future of equality and justice.

There is another opportunity to participate in this study coming up in mid-January. The Anti-Racism Discussion Group invites you to experience the video with them on Tuesdays at Noon beginning January 12. If you're interested in taking part in this new study, contact Janis Jarvis at janisjar@yahoo.com or Beverly Hixon at hix456@aol.com so you can receive the Zoom invitation that will be arranged by Pastor Hoyte.

Online Sunday School

There will be no Elementary/Middle School Sunday School lessons and no High School/Young Adult Devotions posted over the Christmas and New Year holidays. Merry Christmas and enjoy your break! Lessons and devotions will resume on January 10.

Coloring Ministry

Please submit your completed coloring pages so we can include them in our online worship services in the next few weeks! Email them to sundayschool@noumc.org.

Thank You!

The youth would like to thank you for your purchase of Christmas flowers and for your generous donations. We raised \$217 which will go toward the Sunday School Africa University Mission Project!

Our Guiding Principles

- We appreciate and invest in our youth.
- We actively serve our neighbors in the North Olmsted community and the wider world.
- We provide varied opportunities for people to grow in their faith.
- We welcome and nurture a diverse congregation who become extended family.
- We foster lasting personal relationships, which are especially important in a digital world.

*Our Faithful
Journey*

